COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

"A Tradition Of Service"

DATE: July 21, 2011
FILE: SH2270140

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

FROM: JOSEPH S. HARTSHORNE, COMMANDER
OFFICE OF THE UNDERSHERIFF

TO: JOSEPH M. GOODEN, CAPTAIN
INTERNAL AFFAIRS BUREAU

SUBJECT: **EXECUTIVE FORCE REVIEW COMMITTEE DISPOSITION:**
SECURITY OFFICER ZBYNEK JONAK #[redacted]
DEPUTY [redacted]
DEPUTY [redacted]
DEPUTY [redacted]
DEPUTY ALBERT BRISENO #[redacted]
DEPUTY VLADIMIR VASQUEZ-FLORES #[redacted]
COUNTY SERVICES BUREAU

On July 10, 2010, Suspect Elmer Corado was outside of the Tower Clinic of Los Angeles County USC Medical Center and approached Ms. [redacted] wrapped his arms around her, lifted her off the ground, and carry her. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak pushed Suspect Corado and he released his grasp on Ms. [redacted] Suspect Corado attempted to leave the premises while Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempted to detain him.

Securitas Security Officers [redacted] and [redacted] provided assistance to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak utilized his radio and requested assistance. Suspect Corado began swinging and punching Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Suspect Corado bit Sheriff Security Officer Jonak on the left bicep. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak punched Suspect Corado several times in the face. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempted to take Suspect Corado down to the ground by sweeping his legs out from under him, but was unsuccessful. Through the collective efforts of Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak, Suspect Corado was successfully taken down to the ground. Suspect Corado landed on his back striking his head on the concrete ground. While on the ground, Suspect Corado attempted to choke Securitas Officer [redacted] by placing his arm around his neck.

Deputies Briseno, [redacted] Vasquez-Flores and Vega arrived to assist. Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak were moving around on the ground while Suspect Corado attempted to bite, kick, and punch personnel.

Deputy [redacted] approached the left side of Suspect Corado's body and yelled verbal commands in English and Spanish for Suspect Corado to "stop fighting." He placed a handcuff on Suspect Corado's left wrist, but Suspect Corado freed his left wrist from Deputy [redacted] grasp and swung the loose handcuff at personnel. Deputy Briseno attempted to grab and obtain control of Suspect Corado's left arm in order to handcuff him, but was unsuccessful. Suspect Corado continued to swing the handcuff, attempt to bite, and kick personnel. In an attempt to gain compliance, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak struck Suspect Corado several times in the upper torso with his baton. Suspect Corado did not show any reaction to the baton strikes.

Deputies [redacted] and [redacted] used their X-26 tasers and drive-stunned Suspect Corado several times on various portions of his body. Each time, Suspect Corado had no reaction. Deputy Briseno punched Suspect Corado several times in the face. Suspect Corado continued to not comply and remained combative. Deputy [redacted] punched him several times in the lower stomach area.

Deputy personnel were able to turn Suspect Corado onto his stomach and handcuff him. Deputy [redacted] and Deputy [redacted] applied hobble and the Total Appendage Restraint Procedure (TARP) by attaching the Hobble Device to the handcuffs.

Medical staff from Los Angeles County USC Medical Center were requested. Suspect Corado was placed on a gurney and transported to the emergency room under the supervision of Sergeant Kirtley. He was sedated and placed into four point restraints by medical staff.

On June 9, 2011 the Executive Force Review Committee convened and conducted a review regarding the facts of this case. The applicable policies that were evaluated by the committee were: MPP §§ 3-01/025.00, Use of Force; 3-01/025.10, Unreasonable Force; and 3-01/050.10, Performance to Standards.

Concerning:

MPP § 3-01/025.00, Use of Force and MPP § 3-01/025.10, Unreasonable Force, the Committee determined that the force used by Security Officer Zbynek Jonak, Deputies [redacted] Albert Briseno, and Vladimir Vasquez-Flores was reasonable and necessary and in compliance with Department policy.

MPP § 3-01/050.10, Performance to Standards, the Committee determined that the tactics employed by all personnel in this incident were within Department policy.

JSH:RSP/rsp

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MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS

- Administrative Rights Admonition forms for Sheriff Security Officer Jonak, Deputies Vasquez-Flores, [redacted] [redacted] Briseno, and [redacted]

- Certified letter dated January 19, 2011.

- CCHRS, RAPS, DMV, and Booking Packet for Suspect Corado

- PM Shift In-Service for Los Angeles County USC - County Services Bureau, July 10, 2010

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

Supervisor's Report on Use of Force

Incident Information

URN: 9 1 0 - 0 0 3 1 6 - 8 5 4 7 - 0 5 8 | Date: 7/10/10 | Time: 1530 hours

Location: 1100 State Street | City or Station: Los Angeles

Bureau/Station/Facility: F.O.R. II / County Services/USC Medical Center | Admin. Investigation: YES ☐ NO ☒

Type of Force: Significant Force - Personal Weapons, TARP, and Hospitalization

Deputy Injury: YES ☒ NO ☐ | Suspect Injury YES ☒ NO ☐

☐ Call ☒ Observation ☐ Detail | ☐ Foot Pursuit ☐ Vehicle Pursuit

IAB Notified: YES ☒ NO ☐ Person Notified: Sgt. Denison Emp: [redacted] IAB Roll Out: YES ☒ NO ☐

Involved Employee

E1

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	Jonak	Zbynek	

Sex: ☒ Male ☐ Female | Race: W | Unit of Assignment: County Services Bureau | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): 857O12

Shift: ☐ EM ☐ Day ☒ PM | ☒ Regular Shift ☐ OT Shift ☐ Off Duty | Age: [redacted] | Height: 508 | Weight: 140

☒ Injured ☒ Treated ☐ Admitted Hospital: LA County USC Medical Center | Coroner Case #: | Directed Force ☐ Significant Force ☒

E2

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	

Sex: ☒ Male ☐ Female | Race: H | Unit of Assignment: County Services | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): 857A1

Shift: ☐ EM ☐ Day ☒ PM | ☒ Regular Shift ☐ OT Shift ☐ Off Duty | Age: [redacted] | Height: 509 | Weight: 208

☐ Injured ☐ Treated ☐ Admitted Hospital: | Coroner Case #: | Directed Force ☐ Significant Force ☒

E3

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	

Sex: ☒ Male ☐ Female | Race: W | Unit of Assignment: County Services Bureau | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): 857A

Shift: ☐ EM ☐ Day ☒ PM | ☒ Regular Shift ☐ OT Shift ☐ Off Duty | Age: [redacted] | Height: 600 | Weight: 222

☒ Injured ☒ Treated ☐ Admitted Hospital: LA County USC Medical Center | Coroner Case #: | Directed Force ☐ Significant Force ☒

☐ Additional Involved Employees

On Duty Supervisor

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Rank	Present	Witness to Incident
					YES ☐ NO ☐	YES ☐ NO ☐
					YES ☐ NO ☐	YES ☐ NO ☐

Watch Sergeant

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	Kirtley	Coletta	A.

Watch Commander

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	Blanks	Robert	

Watch Commander (**Print Name**) | Watch Commander's **Signature**: | Emp #: | Date

Sergeant Jessica Brothers/Dondra Cullins [redacted]

Supervisor Completing Form: (**Print Name**) | Emp #: | Copy Provided to Employee by: | Emp #:

Unit Commander (**Print Name**) | Unit Commander's **Signature**: | Emp #: | Date

DISCOVERY Use Only

FO#

Original: Discovery Unit
Copy: Unit Commander

Supervisor's Report on Use of Force
INVOLVED EMPLOYEE - Continuation
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Involved Employee

E 4

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	[redacted]		[redacted]

Sex:	Race:	Unit of Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
[X] Male [ ] Female	W	County Services Bureau	857B2

Shift:		Age:	Height:	Weight:
[ ] EM [ ] Day [X] PM	[ ] Regular Shift [X] OT Shift [ ] Off Duty	[redacted]	510	220

	Hospital:	Coroner Case #	
[X] Injured [X] Treated [ ] Admitted	LA County USC Medical Center		Directed Force [ ] Significant Force [X]

E 5

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	Briseno	Albert	

Sex:	Race:	Unit of Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
[X] Male [ ] Female	H	Inmate Reception Center	857B1

Shift:		Age:	Height:	Weight:
[ ] EM [ ] Day [X] PM	[ ] Regular Shift [X] OT Shift [ ] Off Duty	[redacted]	604	235

	Hospital:	Coroner Case #	
[X] Injured [X] Treated [ ] Admitted	LA County USC Medical Center		Directed Force [ ] Significant Force [X]

E 6

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
[redacted]	Vasquez Flores	Vladimir	

Sex:	Race:	Unit of Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
[X] Male [ ] Female	H	Mira Loma Correctional Facility	857B

Shift:		Age:	Height:	Weight:
[ ] EM [ ] Day [X] PM	[ ] Regular Shift [X] OT Shift [ ] Off Duty	[redacted]	506	180

	Hospital:	Coroner Case #	
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E_

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Shift:		Age:	Height:	Weight:
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Supervisor's Report on Use of Force
SUSPECT INFORMATION
910-00316-8547-058

Suspect Information

S 1

Last Name: Corado | First Name: Elmer | Middle Name:

AKA Last Name: Elmer | First Name: Corado | Middle Name:

Sex: ☒ Male ☐ Female | Race: H | Street Address: [redacted] | City: [redacted] | State & Zip Code: [redacted]

Work Phone: | Home Phone: | Age: 46 | Height: 507 | D.O.B. 12/20/63 | Weight: 220 | Armed? ☐

Booking #: 2398574 | Primary Charge Code: A/207(a) PC | Secondary Charge Code: 245(c) PC | Criminal History [redacted]

EMT in attendance? ☐ YES ☒ NO Name: ______ Unit: ______ Phone #: ______

Hospital Admission? ☒ Rec'd Treatment At: LA County USC Medical Center | Coroner Case #: ______ | Mental History ☐

By Doctor: Osinski | Address: 1100 State Street, Los Angeles | Phone #: (323) 226-6711

Under Influence: ☐ YES ☒ NO Substance: ______ | Mental Illness ☐

Suspect Interview

Date: 07/10/10 | Time: 1550 | ☐ Audiotape: ☒ Videotape: ☒ Photos of Injuries: ☐ ADMITS HEARING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Suspect Information

S __

Last Name: | First Name: | Middle Name:

AKA Last Name: | First Name: | Middle Name:

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female | Race: | Street Address: | City: | State & Zip Code:

Work Phone: | Home Phone: | Age: | Height: | D.O.B. | Weight: | Armed? ☐

Booking #: | Primary Charge Code: | Secondary Charge Code: | Criminal History ☐

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Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
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Non-Employee Witnesses

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
[redacted]	[redacted]		43	[redacted]
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
[redacted]	[redacted]		47	[redacted]
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
[redacted]	[redacted]			
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[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
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[redacted]	[redacted]		59	[redacted]
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
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[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	35	[redacted]
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
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[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	20	[redacted]
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Corado	S#1	[redacted]	E#2	UC	NN	
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Corado	S#1	[redacted]	E#4	UC	NN	
Corado	S#1	[redacted]	E#4	PH	NN	
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(WR) Wrist

FORCE USED BY		FORCE USED AGAINST		Method (Code)	Type of Injury (Code)	Body Part (Code)
Name	E# or S#	Name	E# or S#			
[redacted]	E#4	Corado	S#1	CT	NN	
[redacted]	E#4	Corado	S#1	TR	BR	BK
[redacted]	E#4	Corado	S#1	TR	BR	LE
[redacted]	E#4	Corado	S#1	HB	NN	
Brisero	E#5	Corado	S#1	PH	FR	FA
Brisero	E#5	Corado	S#1	CT	NN	
Vasquez-Flores	E#6	Corado	S#1	CT	NN	

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

USE OF FORCE
INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

INCIDENT: Significant Use Of Force - Hospitalization, Personal Weapons and TARP

DATE / TIME: July 10, 2010 / 1530 hours

LOCATION: LAC + USC Medical Center
1100 State Street, Los Angeles

URN: 910-00316-8547-058

IAB #: FO2270140

SUSPECT: Elmer Corado MH/48
Booking # 2398574

INVOLVED PERSONNEL:

Security Officer Zbynek Jonak #[redacted]
County Services/LAC + USC Medical Center

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]
County Services/LAC + USC Medical Center

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]
County Services/LAC + USC Medical Center

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]
County Services/LAC + USC Medical Center

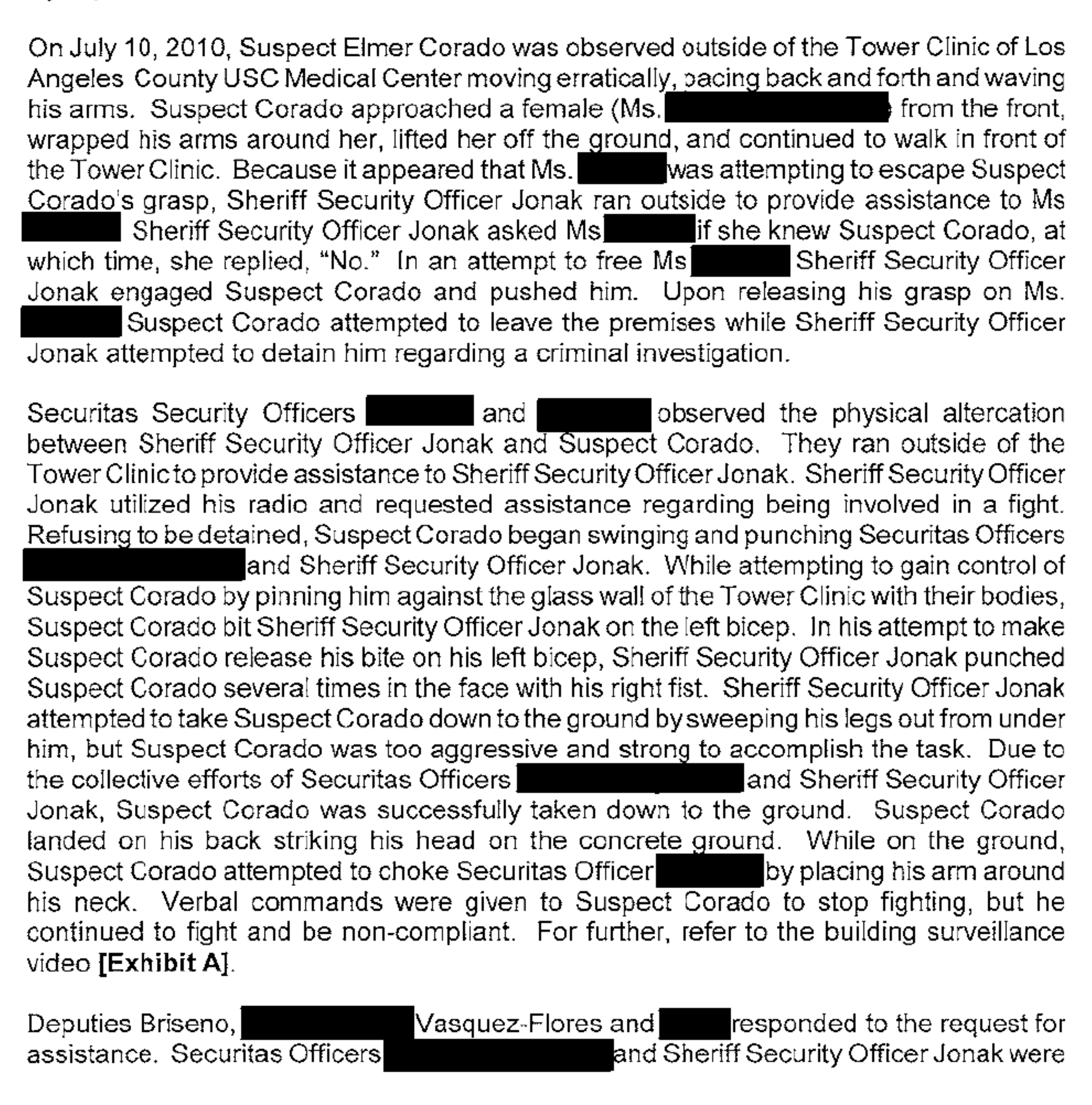
Deputy Albert Briseno #[redacted]
Inmate Reception Center

Deputy Vladimir Vasquez-Flores #[redacted]
Mira Loma Detention Center

OPENING STATEMENT

On July 10, 2010, Internal Affairs Investigators Sergeant Jessica Brothers, Sergeant Patrick Kim, and Acting Lieutenant, Sergeant Trent Denison responded to Los Angeles County USC Medical Center regarding a significant use of force resulting in a head injury and hospitalization to Suspect Elmer Corado. Office of Independent Review Attorney Erica Broido was notified, but did not respond to the scene.

Synopsis



On July 10, 2010, Suspect Elmer Corado was observed outside of the Tower Clinic of Los Angeles County USC Medical Center moving erratically, pacing back and forth and waving his arms. Suspect Corado approached a female (Ms. [redacted] from the front, wrapped his arms around her, lifted her off the ground, and continued to walk in front of the Tower Clinic. Because it appeared that Ms. [redacted] was attempting to escape Suspect Corado's grasp, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak ran outside to provide assistance to Ms [redacted] Sheriff Security Officer Jonak asked Ms [redacted] if she knew Suspect Corado, at which time, she replied, "No." In an attempt to free Ms [redacted] Sheriff Security Officer Jonak engaged Suspect Corado and pushed him. Upon releasing his grasp on Ms. [redacted] Suspect Corado attempted to leave the premises while Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempted to detain him regarding a criminal investigation.

Securitas Security Officers [redacted] and [redacted] observed the physical altercation between Sheriff Security Officer Jonak and Suspect Corado. They ran outside of the Tower Clinic to provide assistance to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak utilized his radio and requested assistance regarding being involved in a fight. Refusing to be detained, Suspect Corado began swinging and punching Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. While attempting to gain control of Suspect Corado by pinning him against the glass wall of the Tower Clinic with their bodies, Suspect Corado bit Sheriff Security Officer Jonak on the left bicep. In his attempt to make Suspect Corado release his bite on his left bicep, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak punched Suspect Corado several times in the face with his right fist. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempted to take Suspect Corado down to the ground by sweeping his legs out from under him, but Suspect Corado was too aggressive and strong to accomplish the task. Due to the collective efforts of Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak, Suspect Corado was successfully taken down to the ground. Suspect Corado landed on his back striking his head on the concrete ground. While on the ground, Suspect Corado attempted to choke Securitas Officer [redacted] by placing his arm around his neck. Verbal commands were given to Suspect Corado to stop fighting, but he continued to fight and be non-compliant. For further, refer to the building surveillance video **[Exhibit A]**.

Deputies Briseno, [redacted] Vasquez-Flores and [redacted] responded to the request for assistance. Securitas Officers [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak were

still fighting with Suspect Corado. They were moving around on the ground while Suspect Corado attempted to bite, kick, and punch personnel. Deputy [redacted] approached the left side of Suspect Corado's body and yelled verbal commands in English and Spanish for Suspect Corado to "stop fighting." Deputy [redacted] attempted to gain control of Suspect Corado's left arm. He placed a handcuff on Suspect Corado's left wrist, but Suspect Corado freed his left wrist from Deputy [redacted] grasp and swung the loose handcuff at personnel. Deputy [redacted] ordered Suspect Corado several times to "stop fighting", but he failed to comply. Deputy Briseno attempted to grab and obtain control of Suspect Corado's left arm in order to handcuff him, but was unsuccessful. Suspect Corado continued to swing the handcuff, attempt to bite, and kick personnel. In an attempt to gain compliance, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak struck Suspect Corado several times in the upper torso with his baton. Suspect Corado did not show any reaction to the baton strikes.

Deputy [redacted] ordered Suspect Corado several times to "stop fighting." When Suspect Corado did not comply with verbal commands, Deputy [redacted] deployed his X-26 taser and drive stunned the upper right portion of Suspect Corado's chest. Suspect Corado had no reaction to the tasing. It appeared that Suspect Corado began to fight more. Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the left side of Suspect Corado's chest. There was no reaction from Suspect Corado. Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the front portion of Suspect Corado's right leg. When there was no reaction from Suspect Corado, Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the stomach area. Again there was no reaction from Suspect Corado. Due to the assaultive behavior of Suspect Corado, Deputy Briseno punched him once in the face with his right hand. The punch did not have an effect on Suspect Corado. He continued to fight and yell Bible verses and the words, "kill me!" in Spanish.

Suspect Corado attempted to punch Deputy Briseno, but missed. He grabbed Deputy Briseno's shirt and pulled Deputy Briseno toward him. Deputy Briseno punched Suspect Corado twice in the face with his right fist. Deputy [redacted] attempted to assist personnel by trying to control Suspect Corado's arms to get them handcuffed. Suspect Corado rolled over on his stomach and placed his arms close to his body to prevent being handcuffed. During the fight Suspect Corado continued to roll from his stomach to his back. Deputy [redacted] ordered Suspect Corado to "stop resisting." Suspect Corado did not comply with the orders given and continued to fight. Deputy [redacted] advised personnel that he was deploying his X-26 Taser. He drive stunned Suspect Corado's lower left back area with a full cycle. Due to the continued assaultive actions of Suspect Corado, coupled with, his lack of reaction to the deployment of the taser, Deputy [redacted] advised personnel that he was deploying his taser again. Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the rear upper portion of Suspect Corado's left thigh with two full cycles. Again there was no reaction to the tasing from Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado continued to not comply with verbal commands and remained combative with personnel.

Deputy [redacted] observed personnel struggling to gain control and handcuff Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado still did not comply with verbal commands from personnel. He continued to escape the grasp of personnel and used the loose handcuff as a weapon. Deputy

[redacted] ordered Suspect Corado to "stop fighting", when he did not comply with his verbal commands, Deputy [redacted] deployed his X-26 Taser. Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the stomach area of Suspect Corado. When Suspect Corado did not have a reaction to the tasing, Deputy [redacted] checked the taser to ensure it was working properly. Deputy [redacted] reapplied another drive stun to the right side of his stomach. Because of the movement of Suspect Corado, the taser broke contact with the skin. While still pulling the trigger of the taser, Deputy [redacted] attempted to reapply another drive stun to the right side of Suspect Corado's. At which time, Suspect Corado hit the taser and broke contact with his skin again. The taser continued to cycle as it hit the handcuffed wrist of Suspect Corado. The open end of the handcuff made contact with Deputy [redacted] right wrist, causing him to experience a jolt and drop the taser. In an attempt to distract Suspect Corado from punching Deputy Briseno, Deputy [redacted] punched him several times in the lower stomach area.

During the fight with Suspect Corado, Deputies Vasquez-Flores, [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak struggled to control his legs. Deputy Vasquez-Flores observed a taser lying on the ground. He immediately grabbed the taser and secured it. Deputy [redacted] observed a large crowd gathering around the front of the Clinic Tower and provided crowd control.

Although Suspect Corado continued to attempt to bite, kick, and assault personnel, Deputy personnel were able to turn Suspect Corado onto to his stomach, at which time, Deputies [redacted] and Briseno were able to handcuff him. Deputy [redacted] was able to apply the Hobble Restraint Device on the legs of Suspect Corado. And Deputy [redacted] was able to apply the Total Appendage Restraint Procedure (TARP) by attaching the Hobble Device to the handcuffs while Suspect Corado was lying on his stomach.

Medical staff from Los Angeles County USC Medical Center were requested immediately. Suspect Corado was placed on a gurney and transported to the emergency room. Sergeant Kirtley responded and supervised the transportation of Suspect Corado to the emergency room. He continued to be combative with medical personnel and attempt to bite and spit on them. Upon arriving in the emergency room, a spit mask was placed over Suspect Corado 's head. He was sedated and placed into four point restraints by medical staff. For further, refer to video **[Exhibit B]**.

Deputy [redacted] documented his actions regarding his use of force in SH-R-49 under file number 910-00316-8547-056. Other involved personnel submitted supplemental reports documenting their actions under the same file number. For further, refer to reports **[Exhibit C]**.

INJURIES

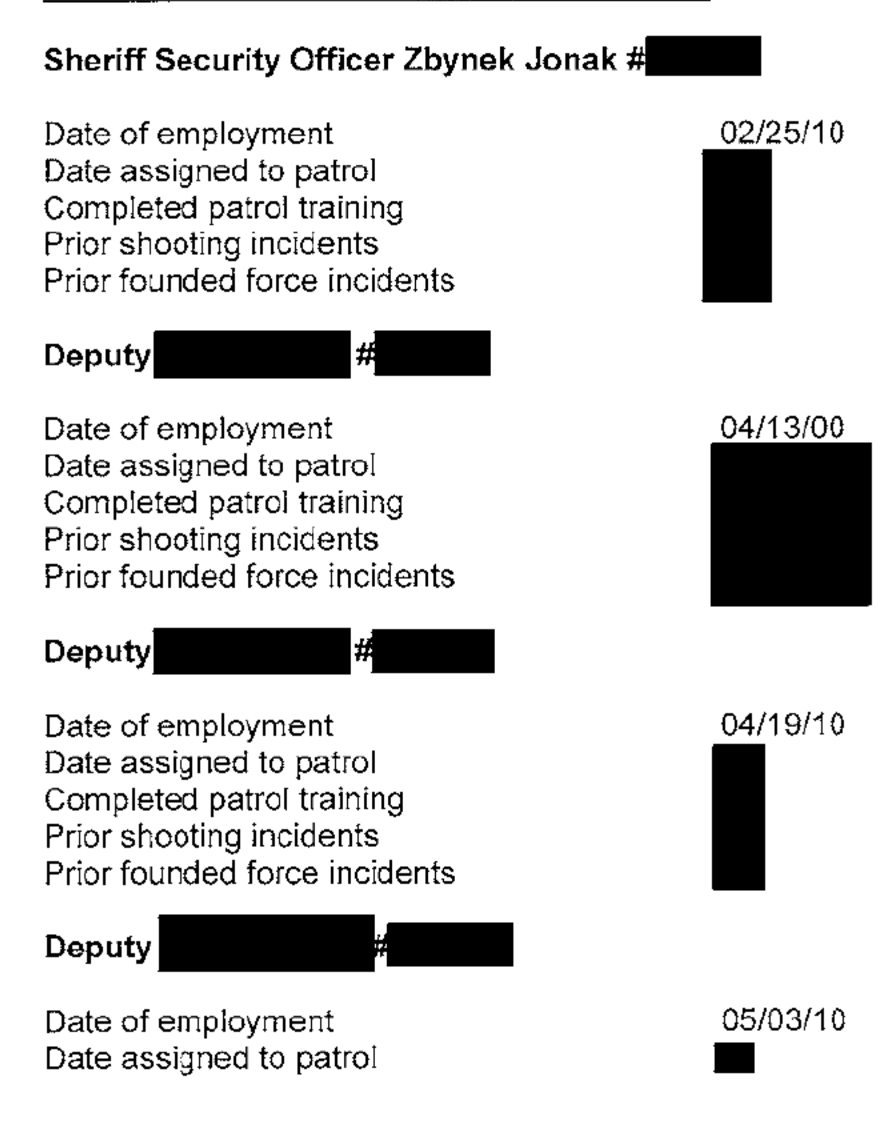
Sheriff Security Officer Jonak sustained a bite to his left bicep, a laceration and swelling to the knuckle of his right hand, and swelling and redness on both knees. Deputy [redacted]

sustained redness and swelling to his left knee. Deputy Briseno sustained an injury to the index and middle fingers of his right hand, redness and swelling to both knees. Deputy [redacted] sustained an injury to the index finger of his right hand (unknown if it was a bite), redness and swelling to both knees. For further, refer to photos, **[Exhibit D]**.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] sustained bruising to both knees, his shoulder and neck.

Suspect Corado was treated by Doctors Osinski and Wagner at Los Angeles County USC Medical Center. It was determined that Suspect Corado sustained bruises on both periorbital areas, multiple taser marks on chest and abdomen, abrasions on right wrist and left knee, redness to the sclera, right orbital wall fracture, and bilateral nasal fracture. For further, further to photos and medical reports, **[Exhibit D and E]**.

INVOLVED PERSONNEL'S WORK HISTORY



Sheriff Security Officer Zbynek Jonak #[redacted]

Date of employment	02/25/10
Date assigned to patrol	[redacted]
Completed patrol training	
Prior shooting incidents	
Prior founded force incidents	

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]

Date of employment	04/13/00
Date assigned to patrol	[redacted]
Completed patrol training	
Prior shooting incidents	
Prior founded force incidents	

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]

Date of employment	04/19/10
Date assigned to patrol	[redacted]
Completed patrol training	
Prior shooting incidents	
Prior founded force incidents	

Deputy [redacted] #[redacted]

Date of employment	05/03/10
Date assigned to patrol	[redacted]

Completed patrol training
Prior shooting incidents
Prior founded force incidents [redacted]

Deputy Albert Briseno #[redacted]

Date of employment 09/13/06
Date assigned to patrol
Completed patrol training
Prior shooting incidents
Prior founded force incidents [redacted]



Deputy Vladimir Vasquez-Flores

Date of employment 01/24/07
Date assigned to patrol
Completed patrol training
Prior shooting incidents
Prior founded force incidents [redacted]



SUSPECT INFORMATION

Elmer Corado aka Corado Elmer
Male, Hispanic, DOB: 12/20/63, Booking #2398574, 5' 08", 280 lbs.
[redacted]

Suspect Corado was arrested for Assault On A Peace Officer, 245 (C) P.C., Resisting A Peace Officer, 69 P.C., and Attempt Kidnaping, A/207 (A) P.C. Suspect Corado did not have any other arrests documented. Refer to Suspect Corado's Consolidated Criminal History Report in the Miscellaneous Documents section for further information.

Suspect Corado was released from custody and was unable to be located for an interview with the IAB investigator. Refer to certified letter in the Miscellaneous Documents section for further information.

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR AND CHARGES FILED

Investigator: Detective Jose Zarate, County Services Bureau
Charges Filed: Battery, 242 P.C. and Resisting/Obstructing a Peace Officer, 148 (A)(1) P.C. were filed on July 13, 2010.

INVOLVED PERSONNEL

Sheriff Security Officer Zbynek Jonak

Sheriff Security Officer Jonak said he was sitting near the west exit of the Clinic Tower next to the Securitas screening station when he observed a Suspect Corado moving erratically outside of Clinic Tower's west entrance door. Suspect Corado was pacing back and forth waving his arms. Witness [redacted] was walking toward the Tower Clinic entrance when Suspect Corado approached her. He grabbed her and lifted her off the ground. While holding her, Suspect Corado continued to walk around in front of the Tower Clinic. He said although he could not see Ms. [redacted] face, her body language indicated she was trying to free herself.

Sheriff Security Officer Jonak said he ran outside and asked Witness [redacted] if she knew Suspect Corado. Witness [redacted] replied, "No." He immediately began to push Suspect Corado in an attempt to separate him from Witness [redacted] Witness [redacted] was separated from Suspect Corado when Securitas Security Officers [redacted] and [redacted] responded to assist with attempting to detain Suspect Corado.

Sheriff Security Officer Jonak said he utilized his radio and requested assistance while Suspect Corado continued to push him. He attempted to restrain Suspect Corado by pinning him against the glass wall of the Tower Clinic using his left shoulder and elbow. Suspect Corado continued to be combative by pushing him away. While pinned against the glass wall, Suspect Corado bit his left bicep. In an effort to get Suspect Corado to release his bite, he punched Suspect Corado in the face. Suspect Corado released his bite and he continued, along with, Securitas Security Officers [redacted] and [redacted] to restrain Suspect Corado.

Sheriff Security Officer Jonak said they were able to pull Suspect Corado to the ground. Several deputies arrived and began to attempt to handcuff Suspect Corado. A handcuff was successfully placed on Suspect Corado's wrist when he broke free of the deputy's grasb and began to swing the handcuff, utilizing it as a weapon. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak drew his baton and struck Suspect Corado several times in the rib cage area.

Sheriff Security Officer Jonak said Suspect Corado did not appear to be rational. Suspect Corado was extremely strong and did not have any reaction to pain. It appeared that Suspect Corado was under the influence of drugs. The fight continued until personnel were able to handcuff and TARP him.

Deputy [redacted]

Deputy [redacted] said he responded to the request for assistance. Upon his arrival he observed Sheriff Security Officer Jonak on the ground fighting with Suspect Corado. He

saw Suspect Corado biting Sheriff Security Officer Jonak's left hand and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak was punching the suspect in the face.

Deputy [redacted] grabbed Suspect Corado's left hand and placed a handcuff on it. Suspect Corado stopped biting Sheriff Security Officer Jonak and began attempting to bite him. Suspect Corado pulled the hand that was handcuffed from his grasp and began to swing the loose handcuff at personnel. He ordered Suspect Corado several times to "stop fighting," but Suspect Corado did not comply and continued to fight. Deputy Briseno grabbed the left hand and Deputy [redacted] the right hand of Suspect Corado. He ordered Suspect Corado several times to "stop fighting." When Suspect Corado did not comply, he deployed his taser. He drive stunned the upper right portion of Suspect Corado's chest. Suspect Corado had no reaction to the tasing. It appeared that Suspect Corado began to fight more. He drive stunned the left side of Suspect Corado's chest. There was no reaction from Suspect Corado. He drive stunned the front portion of Suspect Corado's right leg. When there was no reaction from Suspect Corado, he drive stunned the stomach area. Again there was no reaction from Suspect Corado. The fight continued until he and Deputy Briseno were able to handcuff him, then he and Deputy [redacted] were able to utilize the Hobble Restraint Device and TARP Suspect Corado.

Deputy [redacted]

Deputy [redacted] said he responded to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak's request for assistance. Upon his arrival he observed Deputies [redacted] Briseno, [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak trying to handcuff Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado had one wrist handcuffed as he swung the loose handcuff at personnel using it as a weapon. He removed the dart cartridge from the taser and ordered Suspect Corado to "stop fighting." When Suspect Corado failed to comply with his orders, he drive stunned the stomach area of Suspect Corado. When Suspect Corado did not react to the tasing, he checked the taser to ensure it was working properly. He again drive stunned the right side of Suspect Corado's stomach. Because of the movement of Suspect Corado, the taser broke contact with the skin. While still pulling the trigger of the taser, he attempted to apply another drive stun to the right side of Suspect Corado's stomach. At which time, Suspect Corado hit the taser, again breaking contact with his skin. The taser continued to cycle as it hit the handcuffed wrist of Suspect Corado. The open end of the handcuff hit his right wrist, causing him to experience a jolt and drop the taser. In an attempt to distract Suspect Corado from punching Deputy Briseno, he punched Suspect Corado several times in the lower stomach area.

Deputy [redacted] said he observed several people standing around yelling at personnel to stop hitting Suspect Corado. He got up and was struck by Suspect Corado's right arm in the leg which caused him to lose his balance. Upon regaining his balance he drew his baton and placed himself between the fight and the crowd. The crowd complied with his orders while they video taped the incident with their cell phones.

Deputy [redacted]

Deputy [redacted] said while on foot patrol he responded to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak's request for assistance. Upon his arrival he observed Deputy [redacted] and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempting to handcuff Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado was lying on his back, kicking and swinging his arms at personnel trying to avoid being handcuffed. He observed Deputy [redacted] put a handcuff on Suspect Corado's right wrist. He attempted to gain control of Suspect Corado's left arm by grabbing it with a firm grip and using his body weight to control the arm. Suspect Corado was able to flip onto his stomach and placed his arms close to his body to
avoid being handcuffed. He said he ordered Suspect Corado to "stop resisting," but Suspect Corado did not comply with his verbal commands.

Deputy [redacted] said Deputy Briseno assisted him with trying to control Suspect Corado's left arm. When Suspect Corado began to swing his right arm which had a loose handcuff attached, using it as a weapon, he advised personnel that he was deploying his taser. He drive stunned Suspect Corado's lower left back area with a full cycle. Due to the continued assaultive actions of Suspect Corado, coupled with, his lack of reaction to the deployment of the taser, Deputy [redacted] advised personnel that he was deploying his taser again. Deputy [redacted] drive stunned the rear upper portion of Suspect Corado's left thigh with two full cycles. Again there was no reaction to the tasing from Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado continued to not comply with verbal commands and remained combative with personnel. After Deputy Briseno punched Suspect Corado in the head several times, Deputy [redacted] was able to handcuff his left wrist.

Deputy [redacted] said while handcuffed Suspect Corado continued to attempt to kick personnel. He placed the Hobble Restraint Device on the legs of Suspect Corado to control their movements. For further, refer to taser reports **[Exhibit F]**.

Deputy Albert Briseno

Deputy Briseno said he responded to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak's request for assistance. Upon his arrival he saw Sheriff Security Officer Jonak, Securitas Security Officers [redacted] and [redacted] fighting with Suspect Corado. He saw Suspect Corado's right wrist was handcuffed and the other end was loose, using the handcuff as a weapon toward personnel. Due to the assaultive behavior of Suspect Corado, he punched Suspect Corado once in the face with his right hand. The punch did not have an effect on Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado continued to fight and yell in Spanish. Suspect Corado attempted to punch him, but missed. Suspect Corado grabbed his shirt and pulled him (Deputy Briseno) toward him. He punched Suspect Corado twice in the face with his right fist. He grabbed Suspect Corado's right arm and attempted to roll him onto his side, in order to, put his arm behind his back. With the assistance of Deputies [redacted] and [redacted] they were able to roll Suspect Corado onto his stomach. He held grabbed the right arm

while Deputy [redacted] grabbed the left arm. They were able to successfully handcuff Suspect Corado.

Deputy Briseno said he, Deputy [redacted] and Deputy [redacted] were able to lift Suspect Corado onto the gurney that was provided by the medical staff of the hospital.

Deputy Vladimir Vasquez-Flores

Deputy Vasquez-Flores said he responded to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak's request for assistance. Upon his arrival he saw Security Officer Jonak, Deputy [redacted] Deputy [redacted] and Deputy Briseno on the ground attempting to control Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado was kicking, punching, and attempting to bite personnel. In an attempt to prevent Suspect Corado from kicking personnel, Deputy Briseno grabbed and controlled Suspect Corado's left leg. He grabbed Suspect Corado's right leg and told him several times to "stop fighting." Suspect Corado continued to be combative toward personnel by kicking his feet and rolling his body from side to side to prevent being handcuffed. Suspect Corado yelled several times, "Fuck you mother fuckers!"

Deputy Vasquez-Flores said he saw Suspect Corado trying to punch and bite Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak was trying to control Suspect Corado right arm when a nurse told him (Sheriff Security Officer Jonak) that he needed medical treatment, because he was bleeding profusely from his left hand.

Deputy Vasquez-Flores said he saw Deputy Briseno drive stun Suspect Corado on his upper back while ordering compliance. When Suspect Corado continued to be combative, Deputy Briseno drive stunned his upper back area again and ordered him to comply. Suspect Corado did not comply with verbal commands and remained combative toward personnel.

Deputy Vasquez-Flores said approximately five feet away from the fight, he saw a taser lying on the ground. He immediately grabbed the taser and secured it. He then focused his attention on Witness [redacted]

IAB note: **It was later determined that Deputy Briseno did not utilize a taser. Deputies [redacted] and [redacted] utilized their tasers.**

Securitas Security Officer [redacted]

Securitas Security [redacted] said he was at the security post of the first floor in the Clinic Tower when he observed Suspect Corado dragging and lifting Witness [redacted] off the ground. When Witness [redacted] began to scream, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak ran outside to provide assistance. Suspect Corado released Witness [redacted] at which time, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak tried to detain him. A struggle ensued between Suspect Corado and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak which led to fighting.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] said he called Securitas Security Officer [redacted] and advised that they should provide assistance to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Suspect Corado and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak were punching each other when he and Securitas Security Officer [redacted] arrived at the incident. In an attempt to gain control of Suspect Corado, he grabbed his (Suspect Corado's) hand. Suspect Corado was extremely strong and aggressive. When deputies responded he removed himself from the fight and observed a gun on the ground. He retrieved the gun and secured it until the conclusion of the fight.

IAB note: During the fight Deputy [redacted] Smith and Wesson, 2", .38 caliber revolver fell out of his ankle holster. It was recovered by Securitas Security Officer [redacted]

Securitas Security Officer [redacted]

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] said he was at the entrance of the Clinic Tower when he observed Sheriff Security Officer Jonak trying to stop Suspect Corado from picking up Witness [redacted] Sheriff Security Officer Jonak was able to free Witness [redacted] from Suspect Corado's grasp. Suspect Corado attempted to leave the area, at which time, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak tried to detain him pending further investigation. Suspect Corado began punching Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak tried to block the punches from Suspect Corado. He and Securitas Security Officer [redacted] responded to the location to provide assistance to Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. In an effort to prevent Suspect Corado from hitting Sheriff Security Officer Jonak, he grabbed Suspect Corado's arm. Upon falling to the ground, Suspect Corado placed his arm around his (Securitas Security Officer [redacted] neck and tried to choke him. Suspect Corado also bit Sheriff Security Officer Jonak on his hand and shoulder. Deputy personnel responded to the incident and freed him from being choked by Suspect Corado. Suspect Corado continued to be combative toward personnel and would not comply with verbal commands. When Suspect Corado was handcuffed, medical staff from the hospital responded, placed him on a gurney and transported him to the emergency room.

WITNESSES

Ms. [redacted]

The following is a summarization of Ms. [redacted] interview with Sergeant Colletta Kirtley and Detective Jose Zarate of County Services Bureau.

Ms. [redacted] told Sergeant Kirtley and Detective Jose Zarate of the County Services Bureau that she was entering the hospital when she was approached by Suspect Corado. He was standing outside the entrance of the hospital. Suspect Corado stated, "Letty" and told her that she was his girlfriend. He grabbed her around the waist, lifted her

off the ground, and walked around with her. She tried to free herself from Suspect Corado, but was unable to do so. Fearing for her safety she began to yell for help, but no one would help her. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak exited the hospital and ordered Suspect Corado to release her. Suspect Corado did not comply with Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak forced Suspect Corado's arms apart in order to release his grip on her. Suspect Corado released his grip on her and began to back himself into a wall. Fearing that Suspect Corado would attempt to accost her again, she ran into the hospital. She said she did not know Suspect Corado and never saw him before the day of the incident. She did not observe any other use of force.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted]

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] said when she returned from break to her post inside the Clinic Tower at the front entrance, she observed Sheriff Security Officer Jonak along with a couple of Securitas Security Officers on the ground with Suspect Corado. Four deputies ran to the location to provide assistance. She said she believed that she observed Suspect Corado bite Sheriff Security Officer Jonak on the hand. The deputies were saying something to Suspect Corado, but she could not understand what was being said. Deputies tried to restrain and handcuff him, but he was too strong. Because of the suspect's strength and non-compliance, two deputies tased Suspect Corado with drive stuns to his stomach area approximately four or five times each. She said it did not appear that the tasing had an effect on Suspect Corado. When he continued to punch and fight personnel, another deputy punched Suspect Corado in the face approximately two times. At that point, deputy personnel were able to handcuff Suspect Corado. Upon being placed on the gurney, Suspect Corado still did not appear to cooperate.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted]

The following is a summarization of Securitas Security Officer [redacted] statements from an incident report. Due to Securitas Security Officer [redacted] being on medical leave, IAB investigator was unable to interview her.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] wrote she saw Suspect Corado grabbing Victim [redacted] It appeared that Suspect Corado was hugging Victim [redacted] but she was trying to escape his grasp. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak went outside to inquire if Victim [redacted] knew Suspect Corado. When Victim [redacted] said, "No," Sheriff Security Officer Jonak tried to separate the victim from the suspect. Suspect Corado tried to leave the location, at which time, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak attempted to detain him. Securitas Security Officer [redacted] observed the fighting between Suspect Corado and Sheriff Security Officer Jonak. Securitas Security Officer [redacted] went outside to assist Sheriff Security Officer Jonak with detaining the suspect. Securitas Security Officer [redacted] observed the fighting and struggling between Suspect Corado, Sheriff Security Officer Jonak and Securitas Security Officer [redacted] Although, Securitas Security Officer [redacted] tried to provide assistance with restraining Suspect Corado, he continued to resist and fight.

Securitas Security Officer [redacted] wrote approximately six deputies responded to the location and she observed one of the deputies tase Suspect Corado approximately four times on the leg. She said two other deputies tried to tase Suspect Corado, but he continued to resist and fight. She observed another deputy punch Suspect Corado in the face approximately three times, at which time, personnel were able to place him on a gurney and transport him to the emergency room.

Nurse [redacted]

Nurse [redacted] said she was in the emergency room when she observed three deputy sheriffs run through the emergency room. She tried to follow them and found them outside the Clinic Tower Entrance involved in a physical altercation with Suspect Corado. She witnessed one officer striking Suspect Corado with a baton in the back and shoulder area. Two other officers were trying to restrain and take him to the ground. Sheriff Security Officer Jonak was standing aside with bite wounds to his hand that were bleeding.

IAB note: Nurse [redacted] frequently interchanged the titles of "officers" and "deputies."

Nurse [redacted] said Suspect Corado was taken to the ground and the fight continued. Suspect Corado was screaming and making noises. He was lower torso was exposed from the waist down as his pants were around his knees. She said Suspect Corado was tased by drive stuns several times on the buttocks area. One of the officers punched Suspect Corado several times in the face with his fist. At that point it did not appear that Suspect Corado was struggling with personnel. She approached the area of the fight and yelled for the officers to, "Stop!" She was told by one of the officers to get back. She yelled again, "Stop, that's enough, it's excessive!" The punching then stopped. Suspect Corado was handcuffed, a strap placed around his legs, and attached to the handcuffs.

Nurse [redacted] said it was very chaotic. People were standing around with their cell phones taking pictures and filming the incident. When the gurney arrived Suspect Corado was placed on the gurney. He was shouting Bible verses in Spanish and trying to get off the gurney. She described his state of mind as being altered. Once inside the emergency room he was medicated with Haldol and Ativan. Suspect Corado was admitted into the Intensive Care Unit with diagnosis of head injury, orbital floor fracture and nasal fracture.

Nurse [redacted] said Suspect Corado (PF #4801122) was treated earlier that day in North (emergency room) and discharged at 1500 hours. He was treated for Gastritis and abdominal pain. Registered Nurse [redacted] told Nurse [redacted] that Suspect Corado left alert and oriented.

IAB note: Upon viewing the video tape it showed Suspect Corado on the ground fighting with personnel when Nurse [redacted] arrived on scene.

Nurse [redacted]

Nurse [redacted] said she was working in the clinical areas when she received a call from Nurse [redacted] expressing concern of "LAC+USC Police Officers" running toward the Clinic Tower. When she arrived she looked outside the glass entrance of the Clinic Tower and observed a man on the ground, face down, with his arms handcuffed behind his back and his legs "hog tied." Suspect Corado's jeans were down below his knees exposing his lower torso. He was still fighting and personnel were striking him. She said it was difficult seeing exactly what was happening, because of the chaos. Several police officers were on top of Suspect Corado, but one police officer punched Suspect Corado several times in the face with his fist. It did not appear from where she was standing that Suspect Corado was resisting personnel.

> **IAB note: Nurse [redacted] described the term "hog tied" on page 6 of her transcript.**

Nurse [redacted] said when she stepped outside of the Clinic Tower, police officers were still fighting and struggling with Suspect Corado. She was approximately fifteen feet from where the fight occurred. Suspect Corado was yelling in Spanish and his state of mind appeared to altered. Nurse [redacted] addressed the police officers and asked them to stop hitting Suspect Corado. Nurse [redacted] was told by police officers to get back and she complied. She said a baton was introduced into the incident, but did not observe Suspect Corado being struck with it. She observed a large crowd gathering around the fight and a security officer trying to obtain crowd control.

Nurse [redacted] said when the gurney arrived Suspect Corado was placed on the gurney. He continued to fight and struggle with personnel. He did not comply with verbal commands given by personnel. One of her peers advised her to watch out for her hands, because Suspect Corado tried to bite him. While being transported into the emergency room, Suspect Corado attempted to free himself by constantly moving around using his body and his legs. Suspect Corado tried to bite, kick, and spit at personnel. Medical staff placed a spit mask over his head to prevent him from spitting. Suspect Corado was very difficult to control and continued to fight. Because of his behavior, Suspect Corado was sedated with Ativan and Haldol and placed into four point restraints.

Nurse [redacted] said Suspect Corado was discharged from the North Emergency Room approximately forty minutes prior to the incident by Registered Nurse [redacted] Nurse [redacted] told her Suspect Corado was alert, oriented, calm, cooperative, and suitable for discharge. His medical history revealed he had a history of seizures and brain surgery.